

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2814

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of: ) Group Art Unit: 2814  
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Application No. 10/684,939 ) Confirmation No.: 7761  
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For: SOLID-STATE IMAGING DEVICE AND )  
CONTROL METHOD FOR SAME )

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**RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 20, 2008 FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, this Amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed October 20, 2008. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of this amendment and remarks herein.